



National Service in South Carolina



MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

More than 3,800 people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in South Carolina. Serving at more than 530 locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers.

This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than \$13,770,000 to support South Carolina communities through national service and social innovation initiatives. CNCS invests in cost-effective community solutions--working hand in hand with local partners to improve lives, expand economic opportunity, and engage citizens in solving problems in their communities. Serving in many of the state's most impoverished communities, CNCS provides vital support to schools, food banks, homeless shelters, community health clinics, youth centers, veterans service facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations at a time of growing demand for services. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional \$10,450,000 in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars. Nationwide, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in FY 2015.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than 680 individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across South Carolina. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the United Way Association of South Carolina, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight hunger and illiteracy, improve health services, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 10,000 South Carolina residents have served more than 13 million hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than \$26,750,000.

Senior Corps: More than 3,100 seniors in South Carolina contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than 2,800 young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than 370 homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than 320 groups across South Carolina.

Social Innovation Fund: The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in South Carolina, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing more than \$2,820,000 in expanding the impact of 7 nonprofits in South Carolina, selected and supported by 2 intermediaries.

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS engages millions of Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads volunteer initiatives across the nation. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

South Carolina At a Glance



AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants ¹	Education Scholarships ²	Program Funding
AmeriCorps National	13	12	76	\$523,345	\$388,588 ³
AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	1	8	-	- ⁴
AmeriCorps State Competitive	4	67	219	\$1,016,887	\$1,103,879
AmeriCorps State Formula	13	67	305	\$887,572	\$2,094,430
AmeriCorps VISTA	6	79	74	\$427,670	\$1,141,894
AMERICORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	37	226	682	\$2,855,474	\$4,728,791
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	4	175	399	-	\$1,303,795
RSVP	7	329	2,517	-	\$441,139
Senior Companion Program	4	61	271	-	\$921,938
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	15	565	3,187	-	\$2,666,872
Social Innovation Fund	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Intermediary Grantmakers	2	-	-	-	\$1,684,275
Nonprofit Subgrantees	7	-	-	-	\$1,142,902
SOCIAL INNOVATION FUND TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	9	-	-	-	\$2,827,177
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Martin Luther King Day	3	-	-	-	\$443,269
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$250,000
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	4	-	-	-	\$693,269
PROGRAM TOTALS	65	791 ⁵	3,869	\$2,855,474	\$10,916,109
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (Including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)					\$13,771,583
TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$10,451,861 ⁶
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT					\$24,223,443

Notes: The data shown represents a snapshot in time. CNCS project sites, participants, and funding change throughout the year, so the data may not reflect current conditions.

- ¹ This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2016 - 2017 program year. For AmeriCorps VISTA, this represents the actual number of VISTA members in active service.
- ² This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in South Carolina. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total CNCS funding.
- ³ AmeriCorps National figures may include national programs headquartered in the state and/or operating sites of national programs that are headquartered in other states. Funding reflects the estimated proportionate share of the national grant associated with operating sites in this report. Some national organizations do not report operating site data, or it was not available at time of publishing, so figures may not reflect current conditions.
- ⁴ South Carolina is served by the AmeriCorps NCCC campus located in Vicksburg, Mississippi. In the past year, AmeriCorps NCCC teams have served on projects in Aiken, North Charleston, West Columbia, Hilton Head, Greenville, Blythewood, Columbia, Barnwell, Andrews.
- ⁵ The service location total may contain multiple counts of unique locations where multiple CNCS programs are operating.
- ⁶ As part of its public-private partnership approach, CNCS requires grantees to leverage additional resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on the federal investment. This figure reflects non-CNCS cash and in-kind resources that CNCS grantees and project sponsors have committed to raise or other revenue used to support their programming activities across the state. Last year, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources.

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National Service Impact in South Carolina

State Commission

The South Carolina Commission on National and Community Service manages a portfolio of 12 AmeriCorps programs with 504 AmeriCorps members serving in 17 counties addressing critical needs in the areas of education, economic opportunity, and veterans and military families. In the 2014-2015 program year, 17,241 students were engaged in educational services, 7,582 individuals received financial literacy assistance, and 1,473 volunteers were recruited. In addition to their regular service, 99 AmeriCorps members provided more than 1,000 hours of disaster relief services following the historic flooding in October. Last year, the Commission funded three planning grants to organizations looking to develop AmeriCorps programs to meet pressing needs in other parts of the state.

AmeriCorps State

Although it seems hard to imagine that college and middle school students would willingly forfeit every Saturday of the academic year to go an extra day of school, it's happening in rural South Carolina because of two AmeriCorps programs; Claflin University Saturday Academy and University of South Carolina Aiken Saturday Academy. Students and AmeriCorps members spend the majority of the day engaged in one-on-one interactive tutoring sessions. Middle-school students learn to feel at home on a college campus and discover what it takes to succeed from their AmeriCorps mentors. The majority of the members are students in the College of Education who use the opportunity to engage with students and sharpen their skills before graduation. The programs achieve several impressive results. In the last year, the programs helped 70 students increase their academic performance. Ninety-eight AmeriCorps members increased their tutoring skills and 20 parents learned a new reading methodology. The program is helping students and their AmeriCorps mentors in Orangeburg, Calhoun, Barnwell, and Aiken counties achieve their goals and get on track for success in their careers.

Trident United Way and United Way of Greenville County both host AmeriCorps programs focused on creating financial stability in their communities. Through these programs, AmeriCorps members served nine counties and provided more than 3,000 individuals with financial stability services in the last year. Both models implement a tiered approach; first focusing on addressing basic needs and teaching financial literacy. Individuals are then coached to develop their job skills, increasing income and gaining assets. Through these programs, individuals begin the path to financial stability and continue to move at a pace that suits their circumstances until they reach financial independence. In addition to the service of AmeriCorps members, more than 1,000 community volunteers serve in the support of the program's goals. The AmeriCorps members learn valuable skills during their year of service and are frequently hired by local nonprofits following their service year due to their transferrable skillset.

AmeriCorps National

City Year Columbia AmeriCorps has 24 members who serve full-time at three schools, serving more than 1,400 students at greatest risk of dropping out. AmeriCorps members work alongside teachers, using research-based tools to improve students' attendance, behavior, and performance in math and English. The members also lead afterschool programs and school-wide initiatives to improve school culture. Thanks to the members' service, 81 percent of students in grades 6 through 9 who had a grade of D or worse improved to a C or better, and 93 percent of teachers agree that City Year AmeriCorps members improve students' respectfulness toward one another.

AmeriCorps VISTA

South Carolina Campus Compact, hosted at Winthrop University, is a membership organization of 17 university and college presidents and chancellors who are dedicated to enhancing the civic purposes of higher education. This goal is accomplished by partnering with communities to engage students, faculty, and staff to impact community needs. The SCCC AmeriCorps VISTA Campus Partner Project focuses its efforts in the areas of education, economic opportunity, healthy futures, and veterans and military families. AmeriCorps VISTA members are stationed at institutions of higher education across the state to assess community needs, build relationships with community partners, develop and facilitate programming to meet those needs, and recruit and manage volunteers to build program capacity and sustainability. During the 2014-2015 school year, members recruited 8,023 volunteers who served 51,619 hours and leveraged \$33,055 in cash and \$72,336 in-kind resources. Through this project, more than 405 reciprocal community partnerships were made at both the sponsor and sub-site levels.

AmeriCorps VISTA members serving with United Way of Greenville County have built significant capacity at local nonprofit organizations in the areas of education and economic opportunity. Over the past year, VISTAs submitted 17 grant proposals on behalf of local nonprofit organizations, resulting in more than \$78,000 of additional funding to support local programs. VISTA members have also improved volunteer recruitment and management at their sites, recruiting more than 600 new volunteers and implementing strategies that have increased volunteer engagement by more than 40 percent within partner sites. The community-level impact of this support is seen in numerous Greenville-area programs addressing the needs of at-risk students and low-income community members. VISTA activities over the past year have benefited more than 400 at-risk students in Greenville and 250 low-income community members.

AmeriCorps NCCC

The mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System is to administer a national network of lands and waters for the conservation, management, and restoration of the fish, wildlife, and plant resources and their habitats for the benefit of present and future generations. An AmeriCorps NCCC team was called to support these ongoing efforts at Pinckney Island National Wildlife Refuge through treatment of invasive species, such as Chinese tallow tree and thorny olive. The team treated Chinese Tallow in the five treatment priority areas mapped out by US Fish and Wildlife Service biologists. Treating tallow consisted of mixing herbicide with a marker dye to aid in identifying trees that had already been treated. One team member would use the hatchet to score tree trunks, and the other member would apply herbicide to the incision. This work was done in dense brush in high heat and humidity, and without pre-marked trees. This work helped lead to the restoration of native habitats within the refuge, which supports a diverse range of bird and plant life.

The mission of Palmetto Conservation Foundation (PCF) is to conserve South Carolina's natural and cultural resources, preserve historic landmarks, and promote outdoor recreation through trails and greenways. An AmeriCorps NCCC team assisted in the completion of an elevated walkway that will span the three-quarters of a mile floodplain to connect the Palmetto Trail to the Wateree River. The team's work primarily consisted of the cutting of decking for the walkway and the preassembly of supports. Utilizing these historic structures, and under the advisement of qualified staff, the team will add decking and rails to create a pathway that will take hikers and cyclists over a floodplain section of the trail which is impassable much of the year. In addition to the work on the walkway, members completed extensive repairs to weatherworn decking on two of the existing railroad trusses. The elevated walkway, when completed, will make this section of the Palmetto Trail open year round for trail users. The trail work Delta Two completed also optimized the trail for bikers, and fixed damage from a major ice storm that impacted 160 miles of trail throughout the region.

Senior Corps Foster Grandparent Program

The Aiken/Barnwell Counties Community Action Agency, Inc. is a people-oriented, nonprofit organization that has served the community since 1966. Last year, their Foster Grandparent Program had 107 senior volunteers who contributed 112,324 hours of service at 43 volunteer stations, including schools, Head Start centers, after-school programs, summer enrichment programs, and nonprofit day cares. They assisted approximately 898 children who were at-risk or needed one-on-one attention. Annual student assessment forms have shown that the children served have improved in academics, behaviors, and self-esteem due to the interaction with the Foster Grandparents. The volunteers help the community in other ways by participating in special projects such as MLK Day of Service, collecting canned goods for local food banks, and providing meals to fire and public safety departments.

Senior Corps RSVP

Senior Action RSVP of Greenville County provides a wealth of volunteer opportunities for seniors to stay engaged in the community. Not only are senior volunteer lives improved, but the community has benefitted from the impact of more than 400 volunteers. The program partners with AARP and the IRS to provide tax assistance to more than 1,600 people annually. RSVP volunteers served more than 4,400 through financial stability programs in 2014. Through this work, the need for additional financial counseling was identified and the program is now expanding their financial education focus. One of the fastest growing needs among seniors is transportation to medical appointments and other essential errands. In 2014, RSVP volunteers drove beneficiaries more than 500 miles to medical appointments and errands. Volunteers serve in a variety of roles offering programming at the eleven locations that Senior Action operates. At these locations, close to 5,000 seniors attend classes that help them stay active and reduce isolation. RSVP volunteers lead classes in arthritis management, Tai Chi, Yoga, line dancing, computer classes, financial planning, visual and performing art programs, and more.

Senior Corps Senior Companion Program

The Senior Companion Program of Chester County serves the frail, disabled, and terminally ill in this rural county. In 2015, approximately 34 Senior Companions provide critical support to 81 clients. Volunteers help clients with grocery shopping, take them to medical appointments, and provide companionship, allowing them to live independently with dignity in their homes. They also provide respite for caregivers, share information when clients need food assistance, and volunteer on National Days of Service, including Make a Difference Day, when each Senior Companion brings items to help fill food bags for more than 400 elderly and poor in Chester County. Feedback and survey data show Senior Companion volunteers are making an impact by keeping elderly in their homes for longer, providing much needed services to help elderly live independently and maintain good health. Our companions even remember their clients' birthdays and bring cards and small gifts. These small acts of compassion and kindness are what this program is all about. People helping and caring deeply for each other. We are a small but "mighty" group.

Social Innovation Fund

The Social Innovation Fund (SIF) transforms lives by using evidence to find what works and make it work for more people. The SIF Classic and SIF Pay for Success programs harness the expertise of grant-making intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits serving low-income communities across America. In 2015, the SIF invested in five new nonprofits in South Carolina. The SIF programs throughout the state are focused on addressing issues such as early childhood education, workforce development, and healthcare accessibility. The Greenville Region Workforce Collaborative has worked with a manufacturing employer to train unskilled workers who are now earning \$19-22/hour plus benefits. In the past year, WINGS for Kids successfully opened four new sites, serving more than 400 additional youth. The Teen Leadership program at Greenville County Schools served 231 students in grades six through eight. The Social Innovation Fund is investing \$1,367,235 in expanding the impact of seven nonprofits in South Carolina.

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CURRENT (as of February 10, 2017)	682	37
COMPLETED (within last 12 months)	257	33

Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Aiken	Infrastructure Improvement & Activities to Support Military Families (November 14 - December 19, 2016) Gravatt Camp and Conference Center	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
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Aiken	USC Aiken Saturday Academy (Current) University of South Carolina	60	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Anderson	United Way of Anderson County (Current) Points of Light Foundation	1	AmeriCorps National
Anderson	UWAC AmeriCorps Program (Current) United Way of Anderson County	18	AmeriCorps State Formula
Anderson	YVC of Anderson County (Completed) Youth Volunteer Corps	1	AmeriCorps National
Andrews	Support Long Term Disaster Recovery (August 16 - September 13, 2016) All Hands Volunteers	11	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Barnwell	Serve With Organizations to Address Needs in Barnwell County (August 16 - August 27, 2016) Barnwell County United Way	12	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Beaufort	Early Grade Reading Program (Current) United Way of the Lowcountry	35	AmeriCorps State Formula
Blythewood	Blythewood, SC - R04-2408-SC-DSA-DSA (October 20 - December 11, 2016) Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) - JFO - Blythewood	6	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Blythewood	Blythewood, SC GIS R04-2404-SC-DSA-PLN (October 20 - December 9, 2016) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Blythewood	Blythewood, SC PLN R04-2403-SC-DSA-GIS (October 20 - December 19, 2016) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	6	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Blythewood	Myrtle Beach, SC - R04-2413-SC-DSA-PLN (October 21 - December 11, 2016) Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) - JFO - Blythewood	6	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Blythewood	SPR# R04-2407-SC-DSA-EA Blythewood, SC (October 19 - November 18, 2016) FEMA - JFO - South Carolina Emergency Management Division	6	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Charleston	Charleston Area Service Collaborative (Current) City of Charleston, MOCYF	23	AmeriCorps VISTA
Charleston	Charleston, SC PAS R04-2514-SC-PA-PA (January 11, 2017 - Current) FEMA- Branch II Office- Charleston, SC	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Charleston	Lowcountry Food Bank (Current) Share Our Strength	1	AmeriCorps National
Charleston	One80Place (Completed) Equal Justice Works	-	AmeriCorps National
Charleston	OYSI - The Sustainability Institute (Current) The Corps Network	19	AmeriCorps National
Charleston	Veterans Energy Conservation Corps (Current) The Sustainability Institute	15	AmeriCorps State Formula
Charleston	WINGS for kids (Completed) WINGS for kids	72	AmeriCorps National
Charleston	WINGS for kids NC (Completed) WINGS for kids	15	AmeriCorps National
Columbia	Central South Carolina, HFH of (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	2	AmeriCorps National
Columbia	City Year Columbia - FPG (Current) City Year, Inc.	24	AmeriCorps State Competitive

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Columbia	Communities In Schools of the Midlands (Current) Communities In Schools of the Midlands	28	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	Indian Waters Council, Boy Scouts of America II (Current) Indian Waters Council, Boy Scouts of America	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	Lutheran Family Services of the Carolinas (Current) Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service	1	AmeriCorps National
Columbia	Palmetto Conservation Corps (Current) Palmetto Conservation Foundation	18	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	Palmetto Conservation Foundation (Completed) Palmetto Conservation Foundation	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	SBP - SC (Current) SBP	20	AmeriCorps National
Columbia	SCNG Employment Services & Family Care (Completed) South Carolina Military Department	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Columbia	St. Bernard Project - SC (Current) SBP	15	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	St. Bernard Project - South Carolina (Current) SBP	23	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbia	Sumter National Forest (Current) Mt. Adams Institute	1	AmeriCorps National
Columbia	United Way of the Midlands VISTA Partnership (Completed) United Way of the Midlands	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Columbia	VISTA EARNS (Completed) United Way Association of South Carolina	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Florence	Teach For America - South Carolina (Current) Teach For America	100	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Florence	Teach For America- South Carolina (Current) Teach For America	-	AmeriCorps National
Georgetown	Black River United Way (Current) Black River United Way	30	AmeriCorps State Formula
Georgetown	Black River United Way Americorps VISTA Collaborative (Current) Black River United Way	6	AmeriCorps VISTA
Greenville	Creating Opportunity and Developing Economic Success (CODES) (Completed) United Way of Greenville County	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Greenville	Greenville County, HFH of (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	2	AmeriCorps National
Greenville	Greenville, SC DSA R04-2476-SC-ANY-DSA (November 30 - December 19, 2016) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Greenville	Impact America - South Carolina (Current) Impact America	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Greenville	South Carolina Legal Services (Current) Equal Justice Works	2	AmeriCorps National
Greenville	South Carolina Legal Services, VLC (Completed) Equal Justice Works	1	AmeriCorps National
Greenville	United Way of Greenville County (Current) United Way of Greenville County	7	AmeriCorps VISTA
Greenville	United Way of Greenville County II (Current) United Way of Greenville County	28	AmeriCorps State Formula
Greenville	Upstate Service Corps (United Way of Greenville) (Completed) United Way of Greenville County	33	AmeriCorps State Formula

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Hardeeville	Control and Treatment of Invasive Chinese Tallowtree (November 19 - December 19, 2016) US Fish and Wildlife Service- Savannah Coastal Refuges Complex	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Hopkins	SCA SC (Current) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	7	AmeriCorps National
Hopkins	SCA South Carolina (Completed) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	11	AmeriCorps National
Huger	SCA AmeriCorps National Direct South Carolina (Completed) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	3	AmeriCorps National
Johns Island	Sea Island HFH (Completed) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	2	AmeriCorps National
Johnston	M3 - Mentors Moving Mountains (Completed) Edgefield Schools Management	24	AmeriCorps State Formula
Kingstree	YouthBuild Kingstree, SC (Completed) YouthBuild USA, Inc	10	AmeriCorps National
Lancaster	YouthBuild Lancaster, SC (Current) YouthBuild USA, Inc	20	AmeriCorps National
Mount Pleasant	East Cooper HFH (Completed) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	1	AmeriCorps National
North Charleston	2014 Charleston - Reading Partners (Current) Reading Partners	-	AmeriCorps National
North Charleston	Financial Stability Project (Current) Trident United Way	14	AmeriCorps State Formula
North Charleston	North Charleston, SC GIS R04-2503-SC-ANY-GIS (December 9 - December 19, 2016) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
North Charleston	Reading Partners SC (Current) Reading Partners	35	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Orangeburg	Clafin University Middle School Saturday Academy (Current) Clafin Univeristy	50	AmeriCorps State Formula
Rock Hill	South Carolina Campus Compact (Current) Winthrop University	18	AmeriCorps VISTA
Rock Hill	York County, Inc.; HFH for (Completed) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps National
Spartanburg	United Way of the Piedmont (Current) United Way of the Piedmont	16	AmeriCorps VISTA
Spartanburg	United Way of the Piedmont II (Completed) United Way of the Piedmont	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Sumter	AmeriCorps Reading Success (Current) United Way of Sumter, Clarendon and Lee Counties	31	AmeriCorps State Formula
Sumter	YouthBuild Sumter, SC (at Sumter County) (Completed) Sumter County	-	AmeriCorps National
West Columbia	West Columbia, SC - R04-2345-SC-LOG-LOG (October 11 - December 11, 2016) FEMA- EOC- West Columbia	6	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.

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Senior Corps in South Carolina



SENIOR CORPS TOTALS

PARTICIPANTS

PROGRAMS

CURRENT (as of February 10, 2017)

3,187

15

COMPLETED (within last 12 months)

142

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Primary City	Program Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Aiken	FGP of Aiken, Allendale, Barnwell and Edgefield Counties (Current) Aiken/Barnwell Counties Community Action Agency, Inc.	150	Foster Grandparent Program
Charleston	CASC-RSVP (Current) Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services	775	RSVP
Charleston	Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services (Current) Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services	67	Senior Companion Program
Charleston	Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services II (Current) Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services	71	Foster Grandparent Program
Chester	Senior Services Chester County (Current) Senior Services Chester County	42	Senior Companion Program
Clinton	Piedmont Agency on Aging (Current) Piedmont Agency on Aging	84	Foster Grandparent Program
Columbia	RSVP of the Midlands (Current) Senior Resources Inc.	500	RSVP
Columbia	Senior Resources Inc. (Current) Senior Resources Inc.	94	Foster Grandparent Program
Columbia	Senior Resources, Inc. (Current) Senior Resources Inc.	57	Senior Companion Program
Florence	Florence County RSVP (Current) Senior Citizen Association In Florence County	257	RSVP
Graniteville	RSVP for SC-01 (Current) Megiddo Dream Station	320	RSVP
Greenville	Greenville RSVP (Current) Senior Action Inc.	214	RSVP
Kingstree	Vital Aging FGP (Completed) Vital Aging of Williamsburg County Inc.	42	Foster Grandparent Program
McCormick	McCormick RSVP (Completed) McCormick County COA Senior Center	100	RSVP
Orangeburg	OCAB Senior Companion Program (Current) Orangeburg-Calhoun-Allendale-Bamberg CAA, Inc.	105	Senior Companion Program
Spartanburg	Spartanburg County RSVP (Current) United Way of the Piedmont	171	RSVP
Sumter	Sumter County RSVP (Current) Sumter Senior Services, Inc.	280	RSVP

Note: The city column refers to the location of sponsor organization. Volunteers may be serving in other locations than the city listed.



Intermediary Grantmakers in South Carolina

Location	Intermediary Name Nonprofit Subgrantees	Description
Greenville, SC	Institute for Child Success	The Institute for Child Success (ICS) provides TA to help jurisdictions use Pay for Success (PFS) financing to improve outcomes for children and families. ICS uses an innovative coaching model, where jurisdictions commit specified staff to the project and are guided through the process of assessing the feasibility of PFS for funding early childhood outcomes.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The City of Evansville in Evansville, IN</i> • <i>State of Connecticut in Hartford, CT</i> • <i>Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth in Nashville, TN</i> • <i>Washington State Department of Early Learning and Thrive Washington in Olympia, WA</i> • <i>Children and Families Commission of Orange County in Santa Ana, CA</i> • <i>County of Sonoma County, CA in Santa Rosa, CA</i> • <i>City of Spartanburg, SC in Spartanburg, SC</i> • <i>The City of Tempe in Tempe, AZ</i> 	
Greenville, SC	United Way of Greenville County	Through a \$3 million grant, United Way of Greenville County will design a dropout prevention program for middle grade students. The program will use an Early Warning Response System, real-time data to identify students who begin to disengage from school. A team will then match students with appropriate interventions and resources.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The B.E.L.L. Foundation, Inc. (Building Educated Leaders for Life) in Dorchester, MA</i> • <i>Communities In Schools of Greenville in Greenville, SC</i> • <i>Greenville County Schools in Greenville, SC</i> • <i>Greenville Health System in Greenville, SC</i> • <i>Public Education Partners in Greenville, SC</i> 	

Nonprofit Subgrantees in South Carolina

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Spartanburg, SC	City of Spartanburg, SC Institute for Child Success	ICS will work with the city of Spartanburg to assess the feasibility of using Pay for Success (PFS) Financing to increase access to high quality early care and education for children from birth to age five in low-income communities. Programs such as Early Head Start and Head Start have historically paved the way in this area. In 2014, only 10% of Spartanburg's children living in poverty were enrolled in these programs. The goal is to increase the number of children who are ready for kindergarten, increase the levels of reading and math proficiency, and also increase high school and post-secondary graduation rates, while (as a result) reducing expenses paid on remediation, including special education services. Outcomes to be measured in partnership with the Spartanburg Academic Movement (SAM) include school readiness, proficiency in third grade reading, third grade math, eighth grade language arts, eighth grade math, and the rates of high school and post-secondary completion. Outcomes to be measured in partnership with the Spartanburg Academic Movement (SAM) include school readiness, proficiency in third grade reading, third grade math, eighth grade language arts, eighth grade math, and the rates of high school and post-secondary completion.



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Greenville, SC	Greenville Health Systems Nonprofit Finance Fund	Greenville Health System and Caffeinated Capital are developing a Pay for Success project to deliver community paramedical services to vulnerable populations in a multi-county, rural area surrounding Greenville, South Carolina. These services will improve participants' self-management of chronic conditions and reduce unnecessary emergency room visits and hospitalizations. Public and private insurers are among those expected to reimburse investors for positive results as part of a shared goal to reduce costs through better preventative care and early interventions. The project has the potential to serve as a model for healthcare reform that delivers dramatically better outcomes for patients.
Charleston, SC	WINGS for Kids The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	WINGS promotes social and emotional learning (SEL) in an afterschool setting, helping K–6 children regulate emotions, increase self-awareness, and improve their ability to get along with peers, leading to increased school attendance. The 30 components in the WINGS SEL curriculum include creating a caring community, academic support and tutoring, and community service, all focused on strengthening students' attachment to school. A SIF grant will help WINGS expand into rural South Carolina, increase the number of youth served in Charleston, SC and Atlanta, GA, bolster an already strong RCT design that will bring the organization to a proven level of evidence within the SIF time frame, and, as appropriate, help build WINGS' management and development capacity to support additional growth. WINGS currently serves 650 children at six sites and will serve an additional 990 youth a minimum of 10 -13 sites, including at least one replication in rural South Carolina during the course of the investment. WINGS is well-positioned to take advantage of mounting interest in SEL and to contribute to the youth development and education reform fields significant knowledge about the role a well-structured SEL afterschool program can play in helping children develop skills that research links to improved academic performance and longer-term success in life.
Greenville, SC	Communities In Schools of Greenville United Way of Greenville County	Communities In Schools is the nation's largest and most effective organization dedicated to keeping kids in school and helping them succeed in life. The mission is to surround students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life. Communities in Schools of Greenville will implement their "integrated student support services" model by placing three school site-based coordinators per school. One coordinator will be assigned to each grade level to case manage the students who have been identified as the most at-risk in the grade level to develop a system of coordinated wrap-around support for the student and family including: intensive one-on-one support, home visits, after-school opportunities, and other services and interventions necessary for optimal success.
Greenville, SC	Greenville County Schools United Way of Greenville County	Greenville County Schools is the largest school district in South Carolina and the 45th largest district in the nation, providing educational services to more than 72,000 Kindergarten through 12th grade students in over 100 facilities. Greenville County Schools will employ four mental health specialists, one at each target school to provide mental health services to students and provide critical coordination support to the Early Warning and Response System. Greenville County Schools will also implement a Capturing Kids Hearts Teen Leadership Class to build personal responsibility and leadership skills through role plays, group activities, speeches, and projects.



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Greenville, SC	Greenville Health System United Way of Greenville County	<p>Greenville Health System is a public not-for-profit academic healthcare delivery system committed to medical excellence through clinical care, education and research. The mission of Greenville Health System is to heal compassionately, teach innovatively, and improve constantly. The Children’s Advocacy department began in 1995 to reduce health inequities and disparities, and improve the total health of children by providing community outreach, health literacy, public policy advocacy, prevention and chronic disease management. Greenville Health System will implement School Based Health Clinics in Berea, Tanglewood, and Lakeview Middle Schools. The clinics, in addition to providing non-emergent care, basic prescriptions and medications (via a portable pharmacy kit), and chronic disease management, will also provide referrals to other necessary services such as mental health and dental care. A Nurse Practitioner (NP) and Registered Nurse (RN) will be hired to be on site at each of the three middle schools at least one or two days per week. Each school-based clinic will have a Telemedicine Cart that school nurses will be trained in using. The Telemedicine Cart uses interactive video conferencing and special equipment such as an electric stethoscope and otoscope that can be operated by the school nurse, but would be seen and heard by the GHS physician in another location.</p>
Greenville, SC	Public Education Partners United Way of Greenville County	<p>Public Education Partners, established in 1985, collaborates with the community, educators and elected officials to support and strengthen public education and student achievement in Greenville County Schools. Through a collaborative partnership with South Carolina’s Coalition for Mathematics and Science at Clemson University (SCCMS), Public Education Partners will provide high quality teacher training and coaching in Balanced and Disciplinary Literacy strategies at Berea, Lakeview, and Tanglewood Middle Schools.</p>

Other Programs in South Carolina

Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type
Columbia	Benedict College (Current) Tennessee State University	Martin Luther King Day
Columbia	SC Commission Admin Grant (Current) United Way Association of South Carolina	State Commission Operations Support
Lexington	The Arc of the Midlands (Current) The Arc of the United States	Martin Luther King Day
Rock Hill	Clinton College (Current) Tennessee State University	Martin Luther King Day
Rock Hill	Winthrop Univeristy (Current) Iowa Western Community College	Martin Luther King Day